



Connecting Businesses in Howard County to the Available Workforce in Baltimore City

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If your Howard County work site needs quality entry-level labor

AND

you are on or near one of our existing van routes

AND

your work schedules can align with our van schedules

Join Work on Wheels!







Work on Wheels is administered by the BWI Business Partnership, Inc., with funding from the Howa County Department of Planning and Zoning and the Baltimore City Department of Social Services.

Work on Wheels is the solution!



The Work on Wheels Advantage

"...(Work on Wheels) has enabled our hotel to recruit and retain top-notch employees...Without this program (Residence Inn) would have a difficult time hiring...from Baltimore City..."

Mike Wilson, General Manager Residence Inn by Marriott – Columbia

Howard County, Maryland is one of the most affluent jurisdictions in the entire country. The county's leaders have worked very effectively to create an environment that has attracted businesses of every type to locate in this unique county, strategically situated between the Washington DC market and the Baltimore City market.

Because of the cost of housing in Howard County and its neighboring jurisdictions, entry-level labor simply cannot afford to live in the county in which they work. The situation is compounded by the limits of public transit to Howard County from Baltimore City, which has a large and available workforce, but no means of transport to areas that have the employment opportunities and job growth.

Work on Wheels is the solution

By partnering with non-profit job development programs that can prescreen and pre-qualify job candidates in Baltimore City to fit your job specifications, we can connect you to good candidates for those hard-to-fill, entry-level jobs, and transport them to and from interviews and work in Howard County.

"Work on Wheels has been more than a transportation link. They have been a great help in sourcing and screening candidates, based on the specifications we have given them."

Lucy Madert, Retail Recruitment Manager Safeway – Eastern Division

Commuter Choice Tax Credit

The state of Maryland, in an effort to ease work-related commuter traffic congestion, is offering employers tax credits to encourage the use of transit by their employees. The required paperwork is minimal, and Work on Wheels qualifies for this credit.

www.commuterchoicemaryland.com/waystosave

FREE Job Matching Service

Work on Wheels is truly unique, in that we are not merely providing a much-needed transportation link. We also provide professional job matching for our Howard County employers, with a full understanding of the cost to business of high job turnover that is so prevalent at the entry level.

All Work on Wheels riders are referred by one of our non-profit Baltimore job development partners. Job candidates attend job-readiness classes that prepare them to cope with workplace issues. Additionally, candidates are screened to fit your job specifications.

The process is simple. Transmit detailed job descriptions to our Program Coordinator, who forwards them to over a dozen qualified job development partners. Then we will schedule a suitable time and place for your human resources interviewers to come into Baltimore to meet only those job candidates who are eligible for our transportation and who also meet your job specifications -- or we will arrange one-time transportation to Howard County for interviews.

If you require drug screening, please provide the name of the medical services provider. If you submit background screens, please be as specific as possible as to which histories may be acceptable and which would be unacceptable, prior to scheduling hiring events or interviews.

